

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	Richard R. Rabbat et al.
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Examiner:	Cheng Chien Wu
Confirmation No.	8438
Title:	TIME CONSTRAINED FAILURE RECOVERY IN COMMUNICATION NETWORKS

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 2, 2008, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the rejections of the claims in view of the following comments.